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Board of Supervisors Sees Preliminary Budget; New Wage Demands Made

San Mateo County taxpayers, in the role of employers, today were confronted with new wage demands for 1944-45. The requests for additional pay and war bonuses, recommended to the board of supervisors by the civil service commission Apr. 15 and disclosed to the press this morning, totaled $128,541.

To this were added items of $41,524 for the county retirement system which goes into effect July 1, and $4500 representing transfers from the maintenance and operations budget to the salary roll. The total salary roll increase: $184,665.

The salary roll was but one part of a complicated preliminary budget before the board of supervisors this morning. The board will meet again this afternoon to make further studies. A public hearing is scheduled for June 10.

Budget requests, including the salary roll, maintenance and operating costs for 1944-45 total $2,775,206.69.

This figure is approximately half a million more than the amount originally requested a year ago. Last year the supervisors added some $418,000 to the amount requested to bring the budget figure to $2,691,716. Of this amount it is estimated that $2,398,089 will be actually expended.

The 1944-45 requests are about $377,000 more than estimated 1943-44 expenditures and $661,506 more than was spent in 1942-43. Comparisons were provided by a statistical study prepared by the controller's office.

Only major change noted in addition to the salary roll increase were in civilian defense, cut from an expenditure of $37,375 this year to an estimated $15,000 next year, and a new item of $10,000 for war ration boards, formerly financed from the civilian defense budget.

Increases in pay to county employes totaled $124,541. Of this amount it was estimated that $50,232 represented the cost of doubling the $10 war bonus paid to county employes last year; $52,212 represented merit increases within salary ranges; and approximately $26,000 represented new positions, reclassifications and promotions, and changes in salary ranges.

Merit increases ranged from zero to $95 per month, a recapitulation showed. Two hundred and twenty county employes will receive merit raises of $10 each, 62 will receive $15 and 26 $20.

The civil service commission recommendations set up 33 new positions requested by department heads; 15 reclassifications and promotions and 27 salary range changes.

Major salary increases were in the following offices:

Assessor: $9600.

County Executive: $250 monthly for a property officer (new).

Courthouse and grounds: $250 for a junior telephone operator.

Sheriff: $11,000 all accounted for in increases in present personnel. All men previously classified as jailers because deputy sheriffs at increases of $15 per month each.

Agricultural Commission: $3000, all in normal increases.

Fire Warden: $9000, of which $3500 was paid previously from the maintenance and operations budget.

Health and Welfare: $71,810, of which $40,224 represented payroll increases at Community Hospital.

Other increases: Administration $145; health department, $11,546; medical welfare, $1320; Canyon Sanatorium, $8485; relief home, $1130 and social welfare, $5960.

Last year's salary roll totaled $989,204.

Supervisors Set Hearing For H.M.B.

San Mateo County Board of Supervisors today set June 6 as the time for the public hearing before the board on the petition submitted by the residents of Half Moon Bay requesting the formation of a public utilities district.

The petition, with 356 signatures, was secured by a Half Moon Bay delegation headed by E. A. Holgerson in an effort to get action on the water situation at the Coastside town which had been termed "deplorable" by Holgerson. The water comes from an unprotected source of supply and flows by gravity into an unprotected reservoir.

The board had previously recommended that the district either form a public utilities district or incorporate, and had voted to appeal to the State Railroad Commission to grant a hearing on the matter.

Other business brought before the meeting this morning was the special state constitution amendment which will authorize the levying of tax on real property both improved and unimproved as owned by the federal government. The supervisors voted unanimously approving the amendment which will come before the voters in the May 16 primary election.

As the situation now stands, a provision of the state constitution specifically prohibits any such state tax on federally owned property. There is several million dollars worth of such property in San Mateo County, William H. Augustus, county clerk, said today and 180 acres has just been purchased by the federal government in San Bruno which is not liable to taxation under the present law.

The board also adopted a resolution to complete formation of a weed abatement district in the Menlo Park Fire District and approved a petition sent by the San Carlos City Council requesting a two year extension of a contract to purchase certain delinquent tax properties from the county.

An order was adopted abandoning a portion of Hacienda Dr. near the Capuchino Golf Course.

McCloud in Shasta County preserves, under altered spelling, the name of Alexander McLeod who in 1827 led southward the first band of Hudson's Bay Co. trappers to penetrate Northern California.

C. of C. Studies Three-Fold Postwar Plan

Redwood City's eyes were turned postwar-ward today as the Community Development Section of the chamber of commerce began its three-fold program of fixing ideals for the city's future, surveying the progress already made and of supplying the deficiencies.

With the broad scope of its program fixed at a session last night, the committee turned its attention to practical matters and took immediate action to (1) provide the city with complete hospital facilities ultimately, emergency facilities immediately; (2) protect Redwood City's interests in the transportation facilities for Dibble Hospital; (3) remove unsightly signs from the business district, and (4) study the city's major transportation problem: A railroad through the heart of the community.

Declared Wrex Cruse: "We need a hospital before we need anything else."

M. A. Gooding declared there is a critical need for emergency hospital facilities.

Chmn. Graham Adams appointed Mrs. Dove Beeger head of the section's medical services committee.

He named George Skanderup chairman of a committee to launch a "clean-up, paint-up" program for the city, with removal of unsightly commercial signs a primary objective.

Gooding was named transportation section chairman. One of the section's first actions was to urge the board of directors of the chamber to take immediate steps to protect Redwood City's interests in the hearing set for 10 a.m. Wednesday in the county courthouse, when Redwood City Bus Lines, Palo Alto Bus Lines and Greymound make rival applications to serve Dibble Hospital via Middlefield Rd.

Martin, who appeared before the section, said his franchise gave him the right to transport passengers from intermediate points to Palo Alto and Redwood City, but not between the two termini. The Greyhound application, he said, is to transport Dibble passengers originating or destined for points beyond Redwood City and Palo. The Palo Alto application is for a short modification of route which will bring the Palo Alto service to the hospital entrance.

City Atty. Paul A. McCarthy will represent the city at the hearing. E. W. Butler, manager of the chamber of commerce, said he would refer the problem to the board of directors today.

Skanderup presented a map of a new plan to build an underpass for Redwood City. The plan would extend James St. east on an arc under the Southern Pacific tracks to meet Theater St., which in turn would be extended beyond Middlefield Rd. to Main St. to create a new business district.

A. C. Argo, high school superintendent, proposed that the railroad tracks be re-routed east of the city's business district and along Bayshore Hwy.

Skanderup, Harry B. Feldman and Ray Spangler were appointed to study the underpass proposal.

Other sub-committees: Recreation, Verne Bidwell; education, A. C. Argo.

Adams set the next meeting for May 22.

Bodies Exhumed; Not Molested

Investigation into the Menlo Park gravedigging appeared closed today with the exception of the forthcoming trial of Walter Perry and Cole Madison, confessed ghouls, and possible legislation to be proposed by Dist. Atty. Gilbert Ferrell in an effort to halt repetitions of the crimes.

Dep. Sheriff Walter Moore with a group of four trustees from the county jail and others from the sheriff's office, this morning exhumed two bodies in the Holy Cross Cemetery and found neither molested.

It was not known whether either body had been one of those which Perry confessed robbing of rings.

Both bodies were exhumed at the request of relatives through the district attorney's office, Moore said.

"As far as we are concerned, the investigation is closed," the deputy sheriff added.

Meanwhile, the 18-year-old Madison and 32-year-old Perry are scheduled to come up at a hearing before Judge Mullen tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock. Both are charged with mutilation and disinterment of a body.

Dr. MacKenzie Found Dead In Office

Dr. Norman M. MacKenzie, 51-year-old Redwood City dentist, was found dead in his office at 2382 Broadway at 12:30 p.m. yesterday. Death was due to a heart ailment, for which he had been under a doctor's care for some time.

Dr. MacKenzie was associated in practice with his brother, Dr. Sydney MacKenzie, at the Redwood City Clinic until two years ago when he established a separate office. He resided with his mother, Mrs. Belinda MacKenzie at 204½ Franklin St.

Death had occurred Friday night, according to Dep. Coroner L. E. Franklin, and was discovered when his brother-in-law, H. E. Warner, called at the office and saw Dr. MacKenzie's figure through the ground-glass door of the waiting room, but was unable to get any response to his knock. Police were called, and broke through the door.

Dr. MacKenzie came to Redwood City with his family from Melbourne, Australia, his birthplace, in 1907. He attended Sequoia High School, and was graduated from Physicians and Surgeons College, San Francisco, in 1917. Upon his return from World War I, in which he served as a captain in the U. S. Army, he established his practice here, and was joined by his brother in 1925.

Dr. MacKenzie was a Past Chief Ranger and member of Court Madrone 158, Foresters of America; Redwood City Lodge, F&AM 168; Palo Alto BPOE, 1471; Cpl. James Wilson Post, 105, American Legion, and the San Mateo County Dental Assn.

Funeral services at the Franklin & Crowe Mortuary tomorrow morning are to be strictly private, and the family requests that no flowers be sent. The Rev. Charles Ward, of the First Congregational Church will officiate, and interment will be in the family plot in Cypress Lawn Cemetery, Colma.

Surviving, besides his mother and brother, Sydney, are a daughter, Joyce, enrolled in a dramatic school in Pasadena, a son, Gordon S., of Palo Alto, now in the merchant marine; his sister, Mrs. Warner, and a brother, John MacKenkie, of Hayward.

Angelo Garcia Dies in Action

The war was brought home sharply to another Redwood City family last night when Mr. and Mrs. Castro Garcia, 210 Hemlock Ave., received word that their son, Angelo Garcia, 19, was drowned in action in enemy waters Apr. 18.

Garcia was a water tender third class in the U. S. Navy.

The telegram from the Navy Department did not disclose the theater in which young Garcia was fighting.

The Redwood City boy left Sequoia Union High School a year ago, while only a junior, and entered the navy. He was stationed at Farragut, Ida., for four months for his boot training after which he shipped out immediately. He had been overseas for nine months.

Another Garcia brother, Modesto, is with the Seabees. There are three brothers, Joseph, Valentino and Paul, and two sisters, Katerine Lopez and Mary Garcia, living in Redwood City. Two other sisters, Ruth and Irene, are attending Sequoia.

Garfield Plans Open House

Playlets and illustrated talks are the media through which the higher grades of the Garfield School will show to the public the work they are doing in school at an open house tomorrow from 7:30 to 10 p.m. in the school building. Subjects upon which the program is built include the state of California and various countries of the world.

The open house is one part of Garfield School's contribution to the observance of Public Schools Week, and fourth, fifth and sixth grade pupils will participate. Kindergarten children will have their program tomorrow at 10:10 a.m. and 2:10 p.m. They will show their activities through dramatization, and will demonstrate their rhythm band.

This afternoon the first, second and third grade children are receiving their parents and friends at the school.

San Carlos Group Studies Child Care Center Plans

SAN CARLOS—A child care center loomed in the offing at San Carlos today following a special meeting conducted in the city hall last night. Twenty-five persons representing nearly every organization in the city were present.

The meeting was called by Mayor A. H. Sagehorn following pleas from war working mothers, unable to find places to leave their children during working hours.

Representing the Social Service Center, Mrs. W. V. Haney described the organization of child care center in Redwood City, San Bruno and South San Francisco. Mrs. Haney was appointed as chairman of a survey committee to send out letters to householders in San Carlos to determine the extent of the need for a child care center in the city. Assisting Mrs. Haney will be Mrs. Bernice Chase, representing the Faculty Club; Gordon Bye, representing the Athletic Club, and William Daniels of the Community Players Club.

Replies are to be sent to Mrs. Beatrice Roberts, city clerk, who will, with the assistance of Mrs. A. W. Ends, Mrs. R. T. Pratt and Gordon, tabualte the results and refer them to the group at the next meeting scheduled for May 15.

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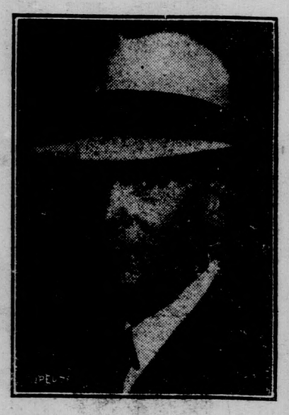

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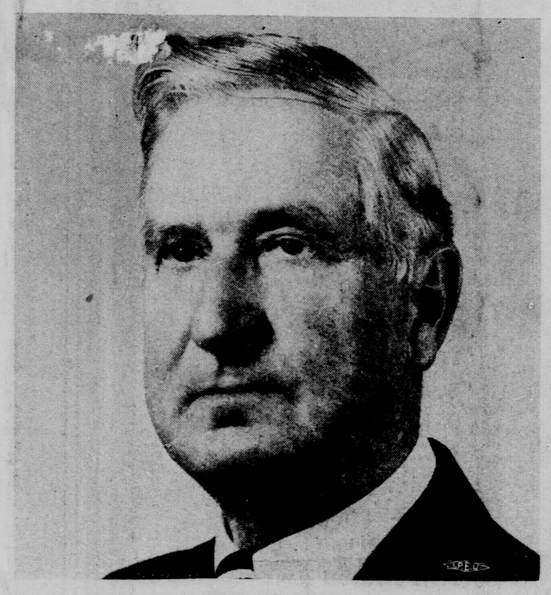

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Former Congregational Pastor Dies at Home; Funeral Set Saturday

Dr. R. J. Currie, founder of Currie Manufacturing Co. and former pastor of the First Congregational Church in Redwood City, died at 11 a.m. today at his home, 904 Arlington Rd.

Dr. Currie had been in failing health for a year and suffered a stroke in September which necessitated his retirement from business.

He was the husband of Lily C. Currie and the father of R. J. Langford Currie, his partner in the manufacturing company, and of Lt. Cuthbert B. Currie, U.S. Navy, who formerly practiced law in Redwood City. He was the grandfather of Robert Stevens Currie and Joanne Louise Currie, and the brother of James B. Currie and Mrs. Jean Salisbury of Toronto, Canada, and of William Currie of Ft. William, Ontario.

Funeral services will be conducted at 11 a.m. Saturday from the First Congregational Church, where Dr. Charles Ward, pastor, and Dr. Harry Rogers of the Lakeside Presbyterian Church of San Francisco, lifelong friend of the deceased, will officiate. It was announced that friends may call until 9 a.m. Saturday at the Franklin & Crowe Mortuary.

Dr. Currie was born in Ontario, Canada, in 1878. In 1906 he became a clergyman, preaching in Methodist pulpits in Canada until 1916. In that year he came to the United States and joined the Congregational Church. He became pastor of the Congregational Church in Redwood City in 1924 and continued until 1929, when he went to Kansas City, Mo.

There he continued his work until 1937 when he retired to return to Redwood City for the specific purpose of founding the Currie Manufacturing Co. at 2408 El Camino Real with his son.

Dr. Currie held the degree of doctor of divinity. He studied at McMaster University and Victoria University in Toronto, at Lima Seminary in Rochester and at Stanford University.

He was a 32nd degree Mason, holding memberships in various Masonic orders in Kansas City.

The Reich Geological Survey was given a half-million dollars before the war to survey German oil possibilities and 15 new fields were discovered.

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COMMUTERS: Many Attend Funeral of John Brand

BY JOE CABOOSE

The John Brand funeral in San Francisco Saturday was an impressive testimonial of the affection and high regard in which John was held by his countless friends and associates. Nearly everyone who attended the beautiful Masonic services at Halsted's and filled the mortuary chapel to overflowing, followed the remains to Woodlawn Cemetery. And the flowers! They were profuse and beautiful beyond description. The whole scene was a magnificent and fitting tribute to a beloved husband and father, a loyal and devoted friend who had come our way and passed on . . . leaving us all richer and wiser for having known him.

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John was particularly admired by all who knew him for his devotion to his family. Martha and two children, little John, 13, and Beverly, 14, were uppermost always in his thoughts and deepest in his affection. These will miss him most. But we all shall miss him. We hope that it may be some slight comfort to Martha and the children to know that they do not mourn alone. John Brand's passing—in the prime of life—was a loss to the whole community.

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Bud Kellogg of the Kiwanis Club had set Tuesday of this week to entertain the Commuters' baseball team at dinner; but at the suggestion of President Hoffman, Bud postponed the joint meeting to some future date in deference to the passing of Vice President John Brand.

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Incidentally, you Commuters who are trying to crash this dinner on the grounds you were members of the "championship" baseball team, here's the dope on those who actually qualify: (We found some old records that give the lineup!) Al Armitage, cf; Jack Werner, p; Paul Allen, 2b; Guido Simoni, 1b; Duke Martin, 3b; Joe Bescos, ss; Stan Perkins, c; Bill Dobbyn, buck ss; Bill McKeegan, rf; John Clarke, lf; Bill Curran, 1b coach; Gene Hoffman, 3b coach; Chester Armstrong, scorekeeper. (Of course the coaches and scorekeeper qualify!—we hope.)

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And further to the record, here's the lineup of the losing team . . . and your hosts: Fred Schmidt, c; Sid Kerkner, 1b; Andy Spinas, as; R. Hunt, rf; Bud Kellogg, 3b; Marty Flynn, 2b; Carl Ward, cf; Lew Franklyn, buck ss; J. Thomas, lf; and M. Gooding, p. By the way, it won't be long until the opening of the 1944 series!

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Stan Perkins, chairman of the house committee, wishes us to announce that the committee's annual "swan-song" dinner to its members, likewise has been postponed. . . to Wednesday, May 17. Place—the Giannini gymnasium on Myrtle St.

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And speaking of Giannini, Tom advises that this Saturday, Apr. 29, will be "Commuters Night" at the USO in Redwood City. At a meeting last Thursday at Tom's house, Mrs. Jack Welch was appointed "chairlady" of the Commuters' committee of lady hostesses who will be in charge of USO entertainment next Saturday. Mrs. Tom Cutting attended the meeting and outlined the requirements. Named to serve with Mrs. Welch are Mesdames Burt Conroy, Claude Gerdes, Thos. Giannini, Norman Meyer, William Dobbyn and Stanley Perkins. The ladies will bake cakes and make sandwiches and be on the job from 3 p.m. to midnight.

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The responsibility of hosting at the USO, we understand, will be a revolving affair among the various civic groups, and the Commuters will get a turn at it every fifth Saturday. The committee will change each time, and all commuter wives will be asked by Chairlady Welch to take a turn at this important service.

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John (Pop) Mullen wins the Commuter Club award this week for remembering his wedding anniversary. John not only remembered it, he thought of it a month ahead of time and arranged a swell party for his "bride" and a couple hundred guests at the California Golf and Country Club. It was his and Mrs. Mullen's golden wedding anniversary. Fifty years married! What a beautiful tribute to the institution of matrimony! John, to you and the Missus, our sincere congratulations, and may you both live to celebrate your diamond jubilee.

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Our protest last week over a lack of news was directed primarily against our sick committee, who, we suspected, has been spending his spare time at the race instead of tending to his duties. He failed to let us know, for instance, that Mrs. Richard tum Suden had been painfully injured in an automobile accident and had spent the first week of April in a hospital. She is now convalescing at Deep Well Ranch, Palm Springs. He also failed to let us know that Jim Toso's boy had suffered a severe eye injury while playing baseball, and that members Charley Helwig and Bill Leahy have been ill.

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We are happy to report that Jim's boy was not seriously injured and that vision in his eye will not be impaired; that Hellwig and Leahy was improving, and that Mrs. tum Suden has completely recovered. If "Tess" reads this, she will know why there were no Commuter "messages of cheer" while she was in the hospital. (By the way, Bill, did that longshot in the second at Bay Meadows come in?)

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Albert H. Morgan Jr., Cub commissioner for the southern division, San Mateo County, announces the following committee who will work with him during the coming year: George Angus, Menlo Park, in charge of the health and safety program; Wayne R. Burke, in charge of leadership and training; Ray Cereghino, finance; William B. Curran, organization and extension; Gill Hallawell, San Carlos, activities and ceremonials; Roderick O. Lynch, San Carlos, advancement, and Howard McGee, advancement.

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To the memory of our late fellow member and president nominate—John W. Brand. May his soul rest in peace.

Belmont Patrolman Nabs Speeding Sailors

Two sailors, William Brock, 22, and Raymond Wilson, 18, are being held in the county jail today for investigation after a wild chase that ended when their car careened into a fence on Cherry St. in San Carlos last night. A third sailor, the driver, escaped.

Otto Kutzer, night patrolman in Belmont, spotted the car, a Ford coupe, last night about 11:45 o'clock as it sped down the highway at a rate of speed estimated at about 70 miles per hour. The car had no headlights.

Kutzer gave chase down El Camino Real and followed the car when it turned up Cherry St. The driver evidently lost control of the automobile and it plowed into a fence and stopped.

The driver of the car escaped but Kutzer apprehended the other two, Brock and Wilson. Wilson had three identification cards in his possession.

Woman, Baby Hurt In Collision

An accident that occurred yesterday afternoon when a truck driver reportedly attempted to pass while approaching a turn on the Coast Hwy. just south of Sharp Park resulted in minor injuries to one woman and an 8-month-old baby and a sprained ankle and facial lacerations to another woman.

Mrs. H. Pink, 30, was taken to Mills Hospital for treatment for lacerations and a sprained ankle. Katherine Snyder and the baby were released immediately.

The driver of the truck, Michael Burke of Burlingame, was reported to have attempted to pass the car ahead of him as he approached a turn in the highway and collided with the oncoming car in which Mrs. Pink was riding, driven by Joseph Canoles of Palo Alto.

ARREST BARTENDER

Herman Sears Jr., 29-year-old bartender, was picked up by Redwood City police this morning at 1:20 a.m. at Main St. and Bayshore Hwy. and is being held today on a charge of drunk driving. Sears gave his address as 418 Second Ave., San Mateo.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Norman S. Menifee, Atty.
NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE
No. 11062

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF SAN MATEO

In the Matter of the Guardianship of the Estate of ROBERT S. LAWRENCE, a minor.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned guardian of the estate of Robert S. Lawrence, a minor, will sell at private sale to the highest bidder for cash and subject to confirmation by said Superior Court, on Monday, the 1st day of May, 1944, at the hour of ten o'clock a.m., or after said day, at the law office of Norman S. Menifee, in the Andrew Building, Redwood City, California, all the right, title, interest and estate of the said Robert S. Lawrence, a minor, in and to that certain parcel of land particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Lot numbered eight (8) in Block numbered six (6) as shown on that certain map entitled "Redwood Villa Park, San Mateo County, Calif.", which map was filed in the office of the County Recorder of San Mateo County, State of California, November 12, 1925, in Book 13 of Maps at page 6.

Bids or offers are invited for said property and must be in writing and will be received at the law offices of Norman S. Menifee, Andrew Building, Redwood City, California, attorney for said guardian, or may be filed with the Clerk of said Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of San Mateo, or delivered to said guardian personally at any time after the first publication of this notice and before the making of said sale.

Terms and conditions of sale: Cash in lawful money of the United States of America, ten per cent of the purchase price to be paid on day of sale, balance on confirmation of sale by the Court. Deed at the expense of purchaser or purchasers.

Dated: April 13, 1944.
EARLINE O. LAWRENCE,
Guardian of the Estate of Robert S. Lawrence, a minor.
NORMAN S. MENIFEE,
Andrew Building,
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Attorney for Guardian.
Apr. 14, 21, 28, 1944

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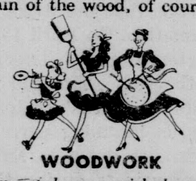
SAFEWAY
Homemakers' Guide

Julia gives 9 ideas for the refreshment of homes

SPRING housecleaning? Of course it can be a nuisance! But it doesn't *have* to be, as I've discovered long ago. There are dozens of ways to "cut corners" and still do a very thorough job of it (I find some new ways every spring). Let me suggest a few of them:

FLOORS

Floors which are of *non-waxed* wood need a good bath of soapy water, and then a rinsing with clear water—but if a little furniture polish is added to the rinsing water, cleanliness is improved by real shininess! (Work with the grain of the wood, of course.)



WOODWORK

Wash *painted or varnished* woodwork with a paste made of mild soap powders and water, then rinse thoroughly with luke-warm water. But remember: wash only a small space at one time, and rub it until dry.

CEILINGS

When you find *cobwebs* in the corner, up there in the closet, wrap a clean cloth around the business end of a broom and *lift* them away (if they're *brushed* into the ceilings and walls, too bad!).

FURNITURE

When hot dishes have been rested on the varnished surface of furniture, leaving *white marks*, those marks should be rubbed with a damp cloth, seasoned with a few drops of ammonia; then waxed and polished. But do the rubbing and polishing gently, and with the grain.

If *piano keys* have become yellowed, wipe them with a cloth dipped in alcohol, or with flannel dipped in cologne.

WINDOWS

Are your windows murky with winter film? Then take a cloth wrung out in equal portions of water and vinegar—that takes off the murk. To achieve really clear vision, polish the windows with a generous pad of *newspaper*, which leaves no lint.

Speaking of windows, how are your *sills?* It doesn't take a minute to wash them, both inside and out—and a good waxing is insurance against their ageing prematurely.

WALLS

The walls of a kitchen or bathroom or children's bedroom—almost any set of walls—may need re-doing these days. Why not refresh them with one of the handy new one-coat paints? Simple to apply (but be sure to read the directions before deciding what to use).

IN GENERAL

Ever notice (back in pre-war days) how swiftly and efficiently the hotel maids cleaned rooms? One reason: they carried all their tools, liquids; etc., with them in a handy basket. There's an idea—saves running back and forth for this and that . . . makes the job easier!

Julia Lee Wright Director
Safeway Homemakers' Bureau

YES... Safeway has everything to help you with Spring Cleaning

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BLEACH White Magic Qt. bottle 10¢ ½-gal. jug 17¢

Purex Bleach—Qt. 12¢ ½-gal. 23¢
Drano Cleaner—12-oz. can 17¢
Sal-Soda R. C.—2½-lb. ctn. 7¢
Paste Wax Johnson—1-lb. 59¢
Borax Powder 20 Mule Team—2-lb. 25¢
Silver Polish Wright's creme 8-oz. glass 19¢
Liquid Wax Areo—Qt. glass 45¢
Glass Cleaner Patrick—8-oz. 10¢

CLEANSER Sunbrite 13-oz. 3 for 14¢

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Bananas Dehydrated—1-lb. cello 47¢
Soy Beans Loma Linda—17-oz. glass 15¢
Gardenside Peas No. 2 can 12¢
Juice Grapefruit, Treesweet (unswt) (3)46-oz. 29¢
Shredded Ralston Cereal—12-oz. ctn. 11¢
Marmalade S&W Orange—2-lb. glass 35¢
Flour Suzanna Pancake & Waffle—40-oz. 16¢

SPRY SHORTENING No Points—3-lb. glass 65¢
LUX TOILET SOAP Reg. bar 3 for 20¢
IVORY SOAP Med. bar 3 for 17¢
CLAPP BABY FOOD Strained—Assorted (1 pt.)—4½-oz. 7¢

Canterbury Tea Orange Pekoe—¼-lb. 19¢
Flour Globe A1 Biscuit—40-oz. ctn. 27¢
Wheaties Breakfast of Champions—8-oz. ctn. 10¢
Beeville Honey 2-lb. glass 49¢
Tomato Juice Libby—(16 pts.)—47-oz. can 19¢
Pork & Beans Van Camp's (10) No. 2 2 for 25¢
Tomato Slices Libby—Gr. Spiced—No. 2½ 23¢
Quaker Oats Reg. or quick—3-lb. ctn. 23¢

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Grapefruit Fancy Arizona—Lb. 7¢
Avocados Fancy Fuertes Lb. 25¢
Tomatoes Fine Quality Mexican 2 lbs. 35¢
Peas Fresh Garden 2 lbs. 19¢
Potatoes New Red 3 lbs. 27¢

All advertised items including produce subject to stock on hand and price changes made necessary by market fluctuations or new regulations from OPA

SELECT CALIFORNIA SPRING LAMB

Lamb Shoulders A Gr. Meaty 4-Rib Cross Cut, Bone In (1) Lb. 28¢
Lamb Chops A Grade, Choice Rib Cuts—4-points—Lb. 42¢

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Eastern Smoked Bacon—(Sliced, Rind Off)—(1 pt.)—Lb. 39¢
LEG PORK ROAST Fresh, Skinned, Shank Half, Bone In—(1 pt.)—Lb. 32¢
READY TO EAT PICNICS Fancy Eastern Smoked, Bone In—(2 pts.)—Lb. 33¢
PORK SHOULDERS Fresh, Picnic Cut for Roasting, Bone In—(1 pt.)—Lb. 27¢
LEG PORK ROAST Fresh, Skinned, Butt Half, Bone In—(3 pts.)—Lb. 34¢

CORNED PORK CUTS
Shoulders 1-point—Picnic Cut—Bone In—Lb. 25¢
Pork Leg 1-point—Shank Half—Bone In—Lb. 29¢
Pork Leg 3-points—Butt Half—Bone In—Lb. 32¢

REWARD FOR WINE BOTTLES
Safeway Stores will pay Two Cents per bottle for all empty Standard Victory wine bottles—quarts or fifths—returned in re-usable condition.

SAFEWAY

Prices in this ad are effective Tuesday thru Saturday April 25 to 29, inclusive, in San Francisco, Oakland, Alameda, Berkeley, Richmond, Hayward, and other cities and towns in San Mateo, Alameda and Contra Costa Counties unless changes are required as a result of new OPA regulations.

WANT TO "CHICKEN-FRY" A STEAK?
THESE WARTIME DAYS, MANY STEAKS AREN'T AS TENDER AS THEY USED TO BE. BUT A DIFFERENT METHOD OF COOKING WILL GIVE THEM PRE-WAR TENDERNESS. FOR INSTANCE "CHICKEN-FRIED STEAK"! MAKE SURE THE STEAK IS NO MORE THAN ½ INCH THICK, AND FIGURE 3 SERVINGS PER POUND.
SEASON IT WITH SALT AND PEPPER, AND THEN COVER IT WITH FLOUR. POUND IT VIGOROUSLY WITH THE EDGE OF A PLATE. (USE AN OLD ONE IN CASE IT SHOULD SLIP), OR WITH A MEAT POUNDER. NOW COVER IT WITH FLOUR AGAIN, GENEROUSLY, CUT INTO INDIVIDUAL SERVINGS, AND
USING A HEAVY FRYING PAN BROWN ON BOTH SIDES IN HOT SHORTENING OR SUET, ALLOWING 2 TABLESPOONFULS FOR EACH POUND OF THE STEAK. AFTER IT IS WELL BROWNED, ADD WATER (ONE THIRD CUPFUL PER EACH POUND OF MEAT) THEN COVER THE PAN AND

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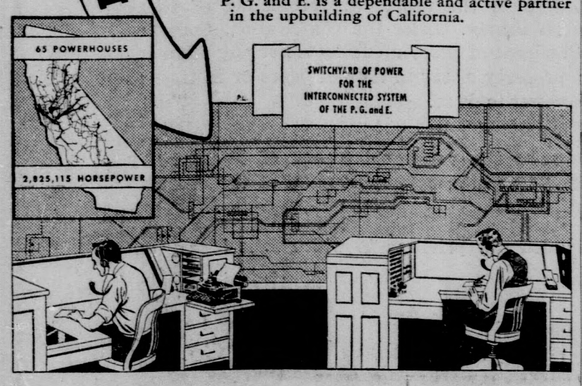
The Pit River development was begun by P. G. and E. some twenty years ago with two generators. Today there are seven generators in service day and night. Soon four more giant generators of the new Pit 5 powerhouse will be connected into the Pit transmission lines. These eleven mighty generators are evidence of the steadfast policy of this company to bring the advantages of electric service to the greatest number of people at the lowest possible rates. By constantly improving its service and adding to its supply of electric energy, the P. G. and E. is a dependable and active partner in the upbuilding of California.



From this central office the electric load dispatcher switches power from sixty-five powerhouses through 500 substations for service on over 50,000 miles of power lines.

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Slacks TO WEAR WITH THAT SPORT COAT!

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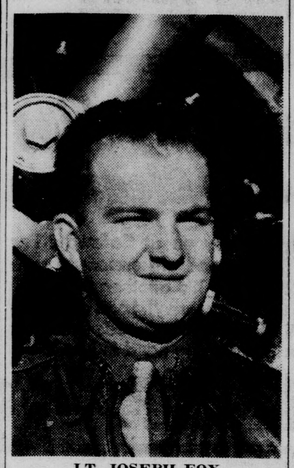
Former Sequoia Athlete Killed After 40 Missions; Sergeant Neunes Missing

Tragedies of war struck twice today in Redwood City homes when news reached anxious parents that 1st Lt. Joseph R. (Russ) Fox was killed in action and Staff Sgt. Anthony J. Neunes is missing on a mission over Europe.

Lieutenant Fox, former Sequoia High School athlete, was killed in aerial combat over New Guinea, according to a short message received by the parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Fox, 828 Blansford Ave., from the adjutant general's office in Washington.

"Russ" as the liteuant was known to a multitude of friends in Redwood City, was born and raised here and was an all-around athlete while



LT. JOSEPH FOX

attending Sequoia. He played on the championship football team of 1938, was a basketball star and a member of the swimming team.

Later he attended Santa Clara University and was a member of the freshman football team.

Joe received his commission as a second lieutenant in January, 1943, at Douglas Field, Arizona, and was promoted to first lieutenant after a flight over Rabaul.

With a total of 40 successful missions in the Pacific against the Japs, Lieutenant Fox was expected to return home in August, according to his father.

Joe's brother, 1st Lieut. John H. Fox is now flying with the U. S. Ninth Air Forces in England. Another brother, Dennis is attending Stanford, while a sister, Katherine, is attending Mt. Carmel.

A message from the War Department to Mr. and Mrs. J. Neunes, 531 Stanford Ave., today revealed that their son, Antony, was missing in action since Apr. 9.

Staff Sergeant Neunes was a veteran of 18 months overseas with the U. S. Air Corps and was a rear gunner on a bomber. He was reported missing on a mission over Germany.

Sergeant Neunes joined the air forces on Dec. 15, 1941. He attended Sequoia High School prior to his enlistment.

War Worker Stabs Negro Sailor to Death

Formal murder charges were filed this morning by San Mateo Police Chief Robert O'Brien against Raecie L. Sisson, 38, San Mateo war worker, who allegedly stabbed to death a Negro sailor Saturday night at a tavern in the heart of San Mateo's "little Harlem."

The brawl began after an argument between Herbert L. Taylor, the victim, and Walter Kelly, 24, over the affections of a Negress employed at the tavern.

In the resulting fight, Sisson, a bystander was reported to have been hit over the head with a bottle. Enraged, the war worker drove home and returned with a large hunting knife and allegedly stabbed the Negro sailor.

Santa Clara Alumni Schedule Reunion

The annual reunion and homecoming for the members of the Santa Clara Alumni Assn. will be held on the University of Santa Clara campus, Sunday, May 7.

The Very Rev. Zacheus J. Maher, former president of the university and now the assistant general of the Society of Jesus for America is to be the guest speaker.

Officers of the national organization include Lt. Warren Kip Morey, USNR, Menlo Park.

Samuel Knight Leaves $225,748

Appraiser James A. Lee today revealed the estate of Samuel Knight, Hillsborough attorney and philanthropist who died Jan. 28, 1943, is valued at $225,746.68. Mary H. Knight, his widow, is executor of the estate.

Included in the estate are stocks, including $13,150 in the American Telephone & Telegraph Co.; real property in San Francisco and San Mateo County, jewelry, household furnishings, and liquors valued at $1096.

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Food Assistants To Aid County

Appointment of L. C. Barnard, G. D. Worswick, Maurice S. Beckley and Mrs. Winifred Mary Jecker as emergency food production assistants for Santa Clara and San Mateo Counties was announced today in San Jose.

The work of these emergency assistants will be financed from funds allotted by the War Food Administration to aid the drive for increased food goals in 1944, Claude B. Hutchison, dean of the college of agriculture at the University of California, announced.

The program will be directed by Barnard and offices will be located in the Post Office Bldg. in San Jose.

Toastmasters Hear Five-Minute Talks

Four five-minute talks again were the highlight of the Redwood City Toastmasters' Club at their regular meeting in the Methodist Church, Monday evening.

Louis Howath gave a talk on "Applied Psychology"; Ray Moore spoke on "American Power Development," Norm Meyer delivered a talk on "Let's Plant Chem" and Mort Mortenson spoke on "Hocus Pocus on the Increase."

Upon the motion of C. C. Armstrong, the group voted to adjourn in memory of John Brand, a former president of the club, who passed away last week.

Cop-Fighter Free After Posting Bail

Andrew McCartny, 32, a machinist, 505 Costa Rica St., San Mateo, allegedly an ex-husband of Mrs. Dorothy Spreckels Dupuy, is at liberty today after posting a $250 bond Saturday to secure his release from the San Mateo County Jail where he was held on a drunk driving charge.

McCarthy staged a lively battle with Belmont police officers when they sought to handcuff him, and bit Fred Johnson, police chief at Belmont, on the finger when Johnson came to the aid of Officer Frank Botto, who apprehended McCarthy on El Camino Real near Ralston Ave., Belmont, Friday.

P.A. Police Return Soldier to Camp

PALO ALTO—Abel O. Stahl, a soldier stationed at a nearby camp (Belmont) was turned over to his commanding officer yesterday by Palo Alto police following his arrest early this morning on a charge of battery preferred against him by Elda J. Del Buono, 2360 Cooley Ave., East Palo Alto.

Miss Del Buono told authorities that the soldier, whom she met downtown attempted to attack her, and threw her purse containing $45 into a lot in the 1100 block of University Ave. The purse was still missing today.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Frederick J. Schoeneman, Atty.

NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE AT PRIVATE SALE.

No. 85049

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF ALAMEDA.

In the Matter of the Estate of DOMINICK GIANELLI, also known as JOSEPH GIANELLI, also known as GIUSEPPE GIANELLI, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Eugenio Gianelli, administrator of the estate of Dominick Gianelli, also known as Joseph Gianelli, also known as Giuseppe Gianelli, deceased, will sell at private sale in one parcel to the highest bidder, upon the terms and conditions hereinafter mentioned, subject to confirmation by the above entitled court, on or after the 17th day of May, 1944, all the right, title, interest and estate of the said Dominick Gianelli, also known as Joseph Gianelli, also known as Giuseppe Gianelli, deceased, at the time of his death, which was sole ownership in and to the real property hereinafter described, and all the right, title and interest that the said estate has by operation of law or otherwise acquired other than or in addition to that of said deceased at the time of his death in and to that certain lot, piece, or parcel of land situate, lying and being in the City of Burlingame, County of San Mateo, State of California, and more particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Lot 10 in block 39, as designated on the map entitled "LYON & HOAG SUBDIVISION OF THE TOWN OF BURLINGAME," which map was filed in the office of the Recorder of the County of San Mateo, State of California, on July 16, 1906, in book "B" of Maps at page 20 and a copy entered in book 4 of Maps at page 26.

Terms and conditions of sale: Cash in lawful money of the United States; ten (10) per cent of the purchase money to be paid at the time of sale, balance on confirmation of sale. Deeds and recording of documents and abstract charges, if any, at the expense of the purchaser. United States Revenue stamps at the expense of the seller. Taxes, both State and County, and any assessments of whatsoever name or nature, which are now or may become hereafter chargeable to or a lien against the property are to be prorated as of the date of the confirmation of the sale.

All bids or offers must be in writing and may be left at the office of Frederick J. Schoeneman, 622 Latham Square Building, City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, attorney for said administrator, or may be filed in the office of the County Clerk of Alameda County, State of California, at any time after the first publication of this notice and before the making of the sale.

Dated: April 26, 1944.

EUGENIO GIANELLI,
Administrator of the Estate of Dominick Gianelli, also known as Joseph Gianelli, also known as Giuseppe Gianelli.

FREDERICK J. SCHOENEMAN,
Attorney for Administrator.
Latham Square Bldg.,
Oakland, Calif.
April 28; May 5, 12, 1944.

MONTGOMERY WARD'S REPLY TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES

MR. PRESIDENT:

We have your telegram of April 23, 1944.

Wards welcomes the suggestion that an election be held at an early date to determine the employes' choice of representation. The question whether the union represents a majority of the employes in Wards' mail order house and store in Chicago has been pending since November 16, 1943. Wards has repeatedly urged a prompt determination of this question, and has publicly announced a readiness to recognize the union when proof of its representation is presented. Although over five months have elapsed since the question arose, the union has refused to show that it is the majority choice of the employes by either a card check or an election.

Wards will continue to observe the wages, hours and related terms of employment as they were before the expiration of the former contract. Wards has made no change in any of these conditions since December 8, 1942, and could not do so under the wage stabilization law without prior governmental approval.

Your assertion that the strike is interfering with the distribution of essential goods is based upon misinformation. On April 13, the United States Post Office, presumably acting on orders from Washington, removed its seventy employes from the mail order house. For more than thirty years the post office had maintained this department for the purpose of handling parcel post shipments to Wards' customers. On April 17, the United States Post Office refused to deliver to Wards incoming parcels from customers on which postage had been fully paid. Despite the assistance given to the strike by the United States Post Office, Ward's store has been open for business during the usual hours each day since the strike began and Wards is up to date in the filling of mail orders.

Although Wards welcomes an early election, Wards' cannot, under the law, grant special privileges to the union pending the election. To grant maintenance of union membership before the election is held, as the War Labor Board has ordered, would not only violate the employes' fundamental liberty of free choice but it would also permit the union to demand the discharge of all the employes who have resigned from the union since December 8, 1943. Compliance with the board's order would thus make a mockery of the democratic right of employes to choose their bargaining representatives freely and without interference.

By ordering the retroactive reinstatement OK maintenance of membership. The War Labor Board has demonstrated its utterly unfair character, and its complete disregard of the command of Congress that its orders conform to the National Labor Relations Act.

Wards' experience with the War Labor Board over a period of two years has convinced Wards that the board is a means by which special privileges are granted to labor unions. The union members of the War Labor Board are men chosen for leadership by the unions, and have actually advanced the interests of the unions. The so-called public members have consistently joined with the union members to support the demands of organized labor. The so-called industry members are committed to a policy of supporting the majority vote of the union members and the union-dominated public members.

The War Labor Board has always claimed that its orders are law and must be obeyed. It has coerced innumerable employers into acceptance of its orders by threatening the seizure of their businesses.

When Wards brought suit to have the board's orders declared illegal, the board asked the courts to dismiss the case. IN DIRECT CONTRADICTION TO ITS PREVIOUS CLAIMS OF POWER, THE BOARD'S PLEA TO THE COURT WAS THAT ITS ORDERS WERE NOT "LEGALLY BINDING." BUT WERE ONLY "ADVICE" WHICH WARDS NEED NOT ACCEPT. The purpose of this plea was to deny Wards a trial before the courts. The issues raised by Wards' case against the War Labor Board are judicial questions which under the constitution only the courts may decide. The War Labor Board, by asking you to force Wards to comply with its order while seeking to deprive Wards of an opportunity for a hearing in the courts, has demonstrated its lack of respect for our constitution and the fundamental rights which the constitution guarantees.

Your assertion that, if Wards does not accept your direction, you will take further action, has been construed by the press to threaten the seizure of Wards' plant and business.

The Constitution of the United States guarantees to the people the protection of those fundamental rights without which there can be no liberty. Under the constitution, Congress is the sole law-making authority. Neither the President of the United States nor any other official has the legal right to seize any business or property either in time of peace or in time of war unless Congress has expressly given him the power to do so.

Congress has given the President no power to seize the non-war business of Montgomery Ward. Any seizure of Wards' plant or business would be in complete disregard of the constitution which the President is sworn to uphold and defend.

Wards has violated no law nor denied to the union any privilege to which it is legally entitled.

Respectfully,

Montgomery Ward & Co.
SEWELL AVERY
Chairman

GARDEN: Greenthumbers Give Success Keynotes

BY ROLLY LANGLEY

It was more fun to sit at the garden show in Oakland last week, see and talk with so many greenthumbers without straining the A coupons. When this war's over, won't it be fun to get in the car and zoom hither and yon, visiting all the magic plots which helped produce the food which helped win the war.

Probably Mrs. A. G. Zimmerman's garden would be a hard one to find, high atop the Piedmont hills, a mountain plot which had to be terraced before vegetables could be planted. I asked her the secret of her success in two words.

"Intelligent perserverance," she said. It would be hard to choose two better words. And come to think of it—they'd spell success in nearly any channel.

Homer Bryan of 1481 Trestel Glen Rd. has much the same idea. He didn't know what Mrs. Zimmerman said, and when I put the same question his answer was:

"Persevering interest," he summed it up. "I stick pretty closely to the vegetables which are easily grown," Bryan added. "Beets, chard, tomatoes and lettuce. They're easy, and they can be the basis of the menu. Then you can buy the trimmings at the grocery."

"Hard work," were the two words that Scott Weakley, the "man on the street." He has just bought a half acre, and the clearing job was probably still in his mind. "But I love it," he added.

This is remarkable, since Scott has only one arm. "I'll match spade work with anyone. Last year I tackled it too vigorously, though, and it cost $45 to get the vertebrae put back in proper sequence." (Take it easy until you harden up—that's another step toward gardening success.)

"Tomatoes are my favorite vegetable. To begin with, there's something attractive about a tomato plant, and I always carry a saltcellar when I go into the garden and live on the tomatoes all day long."

He went on to tell about his zucchini, 20 pounds each—but of course anything under 30 pounds hardly rates a mention here. Central California greenthumbers being what they are.

"Is it too late or too early to plant corn?" A timid little lady asked last week. Her husband prefers yellow corn to all other vegetables so she feels duty bound to grow the best. I told her that the ideal time for planting corn in Central California is around May 1—that it can be planted through June, if there's plenty of water and a willingness to use it constantly. Golden Gross Bantam is still the most popular variety among both commercial and amateur growers.

I saw Gordon Laing, Alameda County Agricultural Commissioner the other day, and as usual he had a good tip for greenthumbers.

"If your readers plant their beans too early—before the soil warms up sufficiently, they're apt to have poor luck and blame you," he said. "When bean seeds are planted in cold soil, growth is so slow that the corn seed maggot has a chance to eat in. This may show up with the bean getting through the ground, opening up the cotyledons, and then failing."

So there's something to remember, especially if the soil is on the heavy clay or adobe side. And that brings up another point. Many of the gardens last year were troubled with onion maggots, radish worms, soil mealybugs and similar pests.

A soil fumigant is the best remedy. Napthalene flakes, carbon bisulphide and dichloroethyl ether are the best controls. The last named is the most recent, and one of the most effective. At present, the material is hard to find, and it's difficult to keep it agitated—in solution—while it's being applied. But until something is worked out, you might try it—a teaspoonful to a gallon of water.

ALLEGED DRUNK DRIVER

Francis M. Leon, 136 Christina Ave., San Jose, is in the county jail today, booked on a charge of driving while drunk. Leon was picked up last night by the California State Highway Patrol on Bayshore Hwy. near Belmont. He is employed at Joshua Hendy Iron Works.

Leon is to appear before Judge A. Mullen on May 5.

Kiwanians Honor Sea Scout Ship

Sea Scout Ship 145, was the honored guest of the Kiwanis Club at a corned beef and cabbage feed held at Sodini's. The club is the sponsors of the ship, and have given time and money toward the furtherance of the ship throughout the past seven years. The high light of the evening was the opening ceremony put on by the men of the sea scout ship, conducting a regular ship ceremony for the members of the club.

Regional Vice Commodore T. W. Spiller, presented the annual charter to the club and the ship committee with their registration cards for the year. He also challenged the club to continue their fine work with the ship.

Scout Executive Edward A. Barrer, presented the skipper with a certificate of outstanding service and also a gold cup as the outstanding ship of the council.

Other guests of honor at the affair were, Louis Dematties, district chairman of the outhern division; Mr. Perry Bygdnes, vice president of the council; Skipper Warner Britschgi.

Mr. Andy Spinas, chairman of the boys and girls work committee for the Kiwanis Club, was in charge of arrangements for the affair. Mr. Bert Werder member of the ship committee and also a member of the club served as master of ceremonies.

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EXECUTIVE BOARD TO MEET FRIDAY

Pesident Philip N. Lilienthal has called a meeting of the executive board for Friday evening, Apr. 28 at 8 o'clock, at St. Paul's Ghurch in Burlingame. Several very important subjects are scheduled on the agenda that evening.

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TROOP NEWS

Troop 104, under Scoutmaster Lu Allen held a regular meeting at the Baptist Church in Redwood City with 10 registered scouts in attendance, one assistant scoutmaster and one new candidate for the troop. The boys had an undressing contest, played musical chairs and practiced for test passing—various tests were passed. The troop is actively engaged in preparation for participation in the Southern Division Camporette as well as in the council camporee.

Troop 105, under acting Scoutmaster Jim DeBenedetti held a regular meeting with 13 registered scouts in attendance.

Troop 120, under Scoutmaster Stout held a regular meeting with 16 in attendance. The boys had a military drill in preparation for the camporee and also planned a camp for the troop. Tony Armada attained the tenderfoot rank.

Troop 143, under Scoutmaster Hamilton Day held a regular meeting with 21 in attendance. The boys reviewed and practiced the compass and had a flag quizz. Seven scouts with two leaders enjoyed a swimming party last week.

Troop 153, under acting Assistant Scoutmaster John Wrentmore held a regular meeting with 38 present. The boys are preparing for a troop camping trip this week end and also for the camporee and Southern Division Camporette. A signalling contest held was won by the Eagle patrol. Bill Feldman attained the tenderfoot rank.

Troop 160, under Scoutmaster Blank held a regular meeting with 20 in attendance. Tests were passed and plans made for participation in the camporette and camporee.

Troop 162, under Scoutmaster McCann, held a regular meeting with 18 attending, at which time war service badges were awarded and compass direction was practiced in anticipation of activities at the camporette and camporee.

Santa Cruz Attorney To Defend Madison

Stanford G. Smith, Santa Cruz attorney, yesterday was secured as counsel by Cole M. Madison, 18, of Mountain View, who, with Walter J. Perry, 32-year-old Menlo Park gravedigger, is charged with mutilation and disinterment of a body. Madison's parents and Smith visited Madison at the county jail here this morning.

Meantime, Chief Dept. Dist. Atty. Louis Dematteis said today that no date has been set for the opening of three graves at Holy Cross Cemetery, Menlo Park, to determine if bodies other than that of Dolores Sifuentes have been molested.

Fire Destroys East P.A. House

Fire swept the Thomas Harrison residence at 2372 Clark Ave., East Palo Alto, Saturday night while the owners were out and completely destroyed the house and furnishings.

Menlo Park firemen were called at 7:30 p.m. but, because the alarm was not turned in immediately, the fire was completely out of control. Harrison estimated the damage at around $6000.

Sand painting is a religious ceremony for Navajo Indians.

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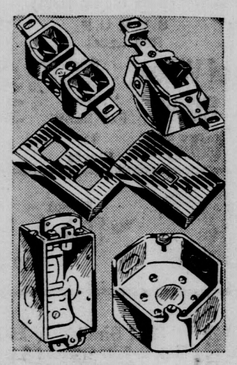

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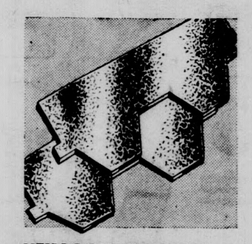

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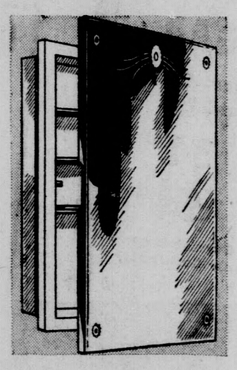

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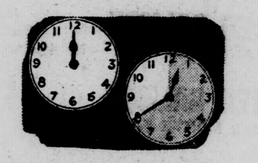

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